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SUBJECT: TROPICAL PRODUCTS: PRESENTATION OF OFFERS

1. JAPANESE DEL (UKAWA) CALLED MTN DEL TODAY TO INDICATE PLANS FOR PRESENTATION OF OFFER ON MARCH 1. HE NOTED THAT TOKYO HAD NOT MADE A FINAL DECISION BUT THAT HE EXPECTED JAPAN WOULD PRESENT ITS GLOBAL OFFER LIST TO COUNTRIES WHICH MADE REQUESTS OF JAPAN ON MARCH 1. THE GLOBAL OFFER, HOWEVER, WOULD NOT BE CIRCULATED TO ALL PARTICIPANTS IN THE NEGOTIATION. UKAWA FURTHER INDICATED THAT HE HAD AUTHORITY TO EXCHANGE GLOBAL LISTS WITH OTHER DEVELOPED COUNTRIES.

2. SUBSEQUENT TO THIS PHONE CALL MTN DEL CONTACTED AUS-
TRALIAN DEL (RYAN) AND NEW ZEALAND DEL (MCPHAIL). BOTH
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INDICATED THAT THEY HAD NO FINAL INSTRUCTIONS ON THE

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PRESENTATION OF OFFERS. RYAN INDICATED THAT HE HAD RECOMMENDED THE BILATERAL TRADE-INTEREST APPROACH TO CANBERRA BUT HE SUSPECTED THAT CANBERRA WOULD FAVOR THE GENERAL CIRCULATION OF OFFERS. MCPHAIL, ON THE OTHER HAND, INDICATED THAT HE RECOMMENDED A GENERAL CIRCULATION OF THE NEW ZEALAND OFFER.

3. MTN DEL STILL FAVORS PARA 8 & 9 PROCEDURES IN REFTEL. INCLUSION OF THIS ALTERNATIVE METHOD IN CHAIRMAN'S SUMMING UP ACCOMPLISHED AT US BEHEST. WE BELIEVE IT CONTINUES TO HAVE ADVANTAGES TO US. IN THIS CONTEXT, WE THINK IT UNWISE TO ABANDON IT WALKER

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